



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20461

RQ-3

August 1, 2002

Arthur A. Prado, Treasurer  
Constructors Association of Western  
Pennsylvania PAC  
1201 Banksville Road  
Pittsburgh, PA 15216

Identification Number: C00341016

Reference: September Monthly Report (8/1/01-8/31/01)

Dear Mr. Prado:

This letter is to inform you that as of July 31, 2002 the Commission has not received your response to our request for additional information, dated July 10, 2002. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. To ensure compliance with the provisions of the Federal Election Campaign Act (the Act), please respond to this request (copy enclosed).

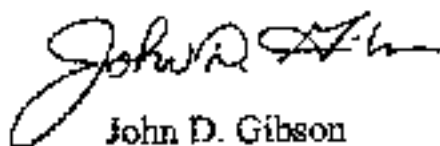
Due to recent events, the United States Postal Service is experiencing delays in the processing and delivery of mail for the Washington D.C. area. Consequently, the Federal Election Commission is not in receipt of all incoming mail. The Commission recommends that you resubmit your response to this notice and consider using alternate delivery services such as overnight delivery or delivery by courier. If feasible, your response can also be hand-delivered. You can verify the Commission's receipt of any documents submitted by your committee on the FEC website at [www.FEC.gov](http://www.FEC.gov).

An adequate response must be received at the Commission by August 21, 2002. Adequate responses received on or before this date will be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. **Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered.** Failure to provide an adequate response by this date may result in an audit of the committee. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may also result in an enforcement action against the committee. Any response submitted by your committee will be placed on the public record and will be considered by the Commission prior to taking enforcement action.

Electronic filers must file amendments (to include statements, designations and

reports) in an electronic format and must submit an amended report in its entirety, rather than just those portions of the report that are being amended. If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Brandy Phillips on our toll-free number, (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 1, then press 2 to reach the Reports Analysis Division), our local number is (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,



John D. Gibson  
Assistant Staff Director  
Reports Analysis Division

Enclosure



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION  
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JUL 10-2002

Reference: September Monthly Report (8/1/01-8/31/01)

Dear Mr. Prado:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. The review raised questions concerning certain information contained in the report(s). An itemization follows:

-Schedule B of your report (pertinent portion(s) attached) discloses one or more contributions which appear to exceed the limits set forth in the Act. 2 U.S.C. §441a(a) prohibits a committee from making contributions to another political committee and its affiliates in excess of \$5,000 per calendar year.

If any apparently excessive contribution in question was incompletely or incorrectly disclosed, you should amend your original report with clarifying information.

If you have made an excessive contribution, you must notify the recipient and request a refund of the amount in excess of \$5,000. The refund of the excessive amount must be made within sixty (60) days of receipt of the contribution.

Please inform the Commission of your corrective action immediately in writing and provide a photocopy of the refund request sent to the recipient committee(s). In addition, any refunds should be disclosed on Schedule A

supporting Line 16 of the report covering the period during which they are received.

Although the Commission may take further legal action regarding the excessive contribution(s), your prompt action in obtaining a refund will be taken into consideration.

A response or an amendment to your original report(s) correcting the above problem(s) should be filed with the Federal Election Commission within fifteen (15) days of the date of this letter. Electronic filers must file amendments (to include statements, designation and reports) in an electronic format and must submit an amended report in its entirety, rather than just those portions of the report that are being amended. If you need assistance, please feel free to contact me on our toll-free number, (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 1, then press 2 to reach the Reports Analysis Division). My local number is (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,



Brandy Phillips  
Reports Analyst  
Reports Analysis Division

# **PART B (FEC Form 3X)** **DISBURSEMENTS**

Use separate schedule(s)  
for each category of the  
Detailed Summary Page

FOR LINE NUMBER:  
(check only one)

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NAME OF COMMITTEE (in Full)

CAPAC- Constructors Association Political Action Committee

Full Name (Last, First, Middle Initial)

Date of Disbursement

08 / 09 / 2001

Amman's Foundation

Mailing Address

1818 Market Street, Suite 3510

City State Zip Code

Philadelphia PA 19103

Purpose of Disbursement

Contribution

Candidate Name

Category/  
Type

Office Sought:

☐ House  
☐ Senate  
☐ President

Disbursement For:

☐ Primary ☐ General  
☒ Other (specify) Contribution

State:

District:

Amount of Each Disbursement this Period

\$10,000.00

Full Name (Last, First, Middle Initial)

Date of Disbursement

08 / 17 / 2001

Mascara for Congress

Mailing Address

PO Box 1109

City State Zip Code

Washington PA 15301

Purpose of Disbursement

Campaign Contribution

Candidate Name

Frank Mascara

Category/  
Type

Office Sought:

☒ House  
☐ Senate  
☐ President

Disbursement For:

☐ Primary ☒ General  
☐ Other (specify) Contribution

State:

District:

Amount of Each Disbursement this Period

\$1,000.00

Full Name (Last, First, Middle Initial)

Date of Disbursement

08 / 28 / 2001

People with Hart Committee

Mailing Address

PO Box 435

City State Zip Code

Waxford PA 15090

Purpose of Disbursement

Campaign Contribution

Candidate Name

Melissa Hart

Category/  
Type

Office Sought:

☒ House  
☐ Senate  
☐ President

Disbursement For:

☐ Primary ☒ General  
☐ Other (specify) Contribution

State:

District:

Amount of Each Disbursement this Period

\$1,000.00

SUBTOTAL of Disbursements This Page (optional)

TOTAL This Period (last page this line number only)

\$12,000.00

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